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FEDERAL AND STATE AID IS READY FOR BIG SANDY ROADS

Judge Riffe Returns from Frankfort With Good News About the Good Roads Situation.

County Judge Billie Riffe spent last week in Frankfort getting information about State and Federal aid for Lawrence county roads. He took up the matter in detail with the State road department, and called Representative M. E. Shannon into the conference.

Judge Riffe has returned home very enthusiastic about the proposition. He found the State Commissioner, Mr. Rogers, ready to do everything in his power to push our road job along.

He was informed that Federal money is ready and waiting to be spent on the road leading through the county from Boyd to Johnson county, and that the State is ready also for its part on this road.

He learned that we will get State aid on the other two roads under the latter-county road law. This aid amounts to seventy per cent of the cost, which is just the same per cent as both the State and Federal government pay on other roads.

No in either case Lawrence county will pay only 30 cents of each dollar spent. The only difference is that all the money is ready for the combined Federal and State aid projects. The State has not now money enough in the road fund to meet the full requirement on the roads where it must pay the 70 cents share.

But the law says the State is obligated to meet the funds put up by a county of this size on the basis of 70 to 30 per cent and if it has not enough money this year it must pay the balance next year, etc. So there is a proposition of financing in the one case that does not exist in the other, but it is believed this can be overcome in some way that will give the people the roads.

Judge Riffe says that he was told at the department that the Big Sandy road proposition from Boyd to Pike county is the best financed project in the State. It has been approved as required by the Federal aid law. No other intra-State route in Kentucky has voted lands in all the counties.

The first work to be done is the survey and the Commissioner promised Judge Riffe to send engineers in here at the earliest possible date to do this work. Also, he stated that he would withdraw all of his engineers and put them into the Big Sandy valley in such force as to rush the job to the limit and permit the counties to let contracts in the spring. He estimates that about three months will be required for surveys and estimates.

After this is done the court will know what is required to the way of bonds. Judge Riffe says everything in this line will be ready in plenty of time. Bonds will be issued only as needed so as to save interest.

METHODISTS MEETING IN LOUISVILLE IN EFFORT TO RE-UNITE TWO WINGS

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 14.—In a church edifice controlled by the same religious organization which sponsored a branch in the Methodist Episcopal church in 1846, thus dividing the church membership into North and South factions, a joint commission of both churches will meet tomorrow in an endeavor to re-unite the two wings.

Bishop W. F. McDowell, Washington, will head the delegation from the Methodist Episcopal Church, North, and Bishop Edwin Moulton, Dallas, Texas, the Southern faction. The meeting will be closed to the public and will last several days.

THE REV. C. M. SHELTON TO EDIT WEEKLY PAPER

New York.—The Rev. Charles M. Shelton, one of the most widely known ministers in America, is now editor of the Christian Herald. Since 1889 Mr. Shelton had been pastor of Central Congregational Church at Topeka. He succeeded Dr. George H. Sandness, who has been associated with the Christian Herald for thirty years, and who retired as editor emeritus on the eve of his seventieth birthday.

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

The Ashland Independent says: Mr. and Mrs. John Kahne, of Ashland, Lawrence county, arrived in Ashland, bringing the body of their infant daughter, Jeannette Kahne, six weeks old, for interment.

Just a few days since Mrs. Kahne had returned to her home with the baby, a beautiful healthy little girl, after spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hood.

On last Friday night the babe was put to bed apparently in perfect health, and its parents awakened at 3 a. m. to find it cold in death. A physician, hastily called, pronounced the sudden death to be the result of illness.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Junior Runyon, 19, to Annie McKen-

BIG REWARD OFFERED FOR MINARD ESTEP

County Sheriff Sam DeFord of Boyd county has received a telegram from Governor E. P. Morrow authorizing him to offer a reward of \$200.00 to be paid by the state for the capture of Minard Estep, murderer, who escaped from the Boyd county jail a few days ago.

In addition County Jailor John White offers a reward of \$100.00 and Boyd county another \$100.00, making a standing reward of \$400.00 for the capture of the man.

Estep was convicted of killing Frank Goodman in Ballard last January. He was found guilty, sentenced to electrocution and placed in a death cell at Fiddysville penitentiary.

Recently he was granted a new trial and was brought to Catlettsburg and placed in jail. With two other prisoners, John Lester, held for forgery, and a moonshiner serving thirty days, he escaped Christmas night.

If Estep is not captured it is said that it will be the first case where a man who has been sentenced to death, has escaped death free of any penalty.

NEW MUSIC TEACHER AT KENTUCKY NORMAL COLLEGE

Mr. Saubiere, of Gulfport, Miss., has taken charge of the music department of Kentucky Normal College. He comes highly recommended. Piano, band and orchestra instruments are to be taught.

We are glad to learn that Mr. Saubiere contemplates organizing a band and orchestra. Louisa needs such organizations and there is considerable demand for music of this kind in adjacent territory, at remunerative prices for engagements.

PROGRESS OF THE DRILLING IN THE LOCAL OIL FIELD

In the oil fields near Louisa the work of drilling is going forward very nicely. The heavy hauling is being done with cattle and it is surprising to see the number of these teams that have appeared in answer to the demands of this field.

The standard rig for the well on the Point opposite Louisa is being erected and Creel brothers have been ready to drill when it is completed.

G. J. Carter's gas well No. 2, Yatesville, is quite a good producer.

F. H. Yates well No. 4 on the C. M. Waller tract is under way.

No. 4 on Diamond & Hanson is nearing completion.

No. 6 on Mrs. Hannah Lackey's farm is an extra good well, estimated at 10 barrels for settled production.

Austin No. 4 is down 900 feet.

Tom Burnett's No. 5 is almost to the grit.

Thad Rankins No. 1 is 1200 feet. A well will be started on A. Rankin's at once.

A machine is being set up on L. S. Alley's No. 6, location. No. 4 on that tract is being tubed.

Conley & Burgess No. 1 is about ready to start the drilling. No. 5 on the Mitchell tract is down 900 feet.

No. 4 on this tract is doing five barrels.

The drillers are rigging up for No. 2 on the J. H. Diamond farm.

T. P. Maloney's No. 1 on the James Q. Lackey farm is due to come in very soon.

The well on Rockcastle, E. E. Shannon's farm, will reach the Berea in a few days.

Several new companies are acquiring leases and will begin developing next spring and summer.

It is very difficult to buy casing and supplies now.

Upper Blaine Field.

Stevens & Carlson were shut down a week on the Knott Branch well, J. Laralaky and others, on account of losing a bit in the well. They should finish within a few days.

The Union company is drilling, additional wells and is getting more contractors into the field.

The Morris well is a small producer.

The pipe line is installing new pumps. The old ones were not giving good results.

J. P. Shannon Passes Away at Age of 82

James P. Shannon died at his home near Catlap, this county, Wednesday morning of this week. He had been ill for quite a long time, and as he was 82 years old his death was not a surprise. The burial took place Thursday near the home.

Lawrence county had no better citizen than Mr. Shannon. His life was clean and he always stood for the right. He was a faithful church member. The wife and several grown sons and daughters survive him. Mrs. H. B. Muncy, of Louisville, is a daughter and Mrs. Ellen McHenry a sister of the deceased.

NEW BANK AT SALYERSVILLE.

The Magnolia Commercial Bank, Salyersville, has been incorporated. Capital stock \$15,000. George Carpenter, W. P. Carpenter and Tom Gardner, incorporators.

YATESVILLE.

There will be a picnic here Saturday night, January 17, for the benefit of a singing school. Also, Sunday school every Sunday at 2 p. m.

GUESS WHO.

LAWRENCE COUNTY GETS ONE OF FOUR CAVALRY TROOPS

Authority Sought and Received by County Attorney to Organize Unit Here.

County Attorney D. L. Thompson has done a good piece of work for Lawrence county in getting authority to organize a troop of cavalry here. Only four for the entire State are authorized and we are fortunate in securing one.

The unit consists of 70 men and Mr. Thompson wants the applications of enough to make up this number of acceptable men. They must be 18 to 41 years of age, sound in body and mind, of good morals, and able to read and write.

About one hour a week is given to drill and all the men receive pay regularly at the rate of one-fourth of the full pay per year given to those in the regular army. In addition to the one hour per week, the troop spends 15 days per year in encampment, with pay and all expenses.

The State military department furnishes all equipment, including 30 horses, with quarters and feed and care provided by the military department.

Mr. Thompson has had considerable experience in the cavalry, having been in that branch of service in the Spanish-American war. If he can effect the organization of this troop it will be quite a feat and he will merit the appreciation of the people of his home county.

RAY-DANIEL.

The following from the Paintsville Herald will be read with interest. The bride is well known in Louisa. She was a teacher in Kentucky Normal College several years. She recently resigned the position as stenographer in the Tobacco Company's office at this place:

A wedding that came as a surprise to their many friends was the marriage of Eugene Daniel to Mrs. Daisy Marie Ray, of Prestonburg, which took place in Paintsville Wednesday, January 14, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Preston, friends of the bride.

The wedding ceremony was performed in the presence of a few friends by Judge J. W. Walker. Immediately after the ceremony was performed and the happy couple received congratulations from their many friends they went to their home in East Paintsville. The home had been made ready by the groom.

Mr. Daniel is ticket agent for the C. & O. railroad company at Paintsville, which position he has held for the past several years. He is well and favorably known to all our people, being a leading business man, a valuable employee and especially popular with those who patronize the railroad, accommodating to all.

The bride is a member of one of the best families in Floyd county. She has been making her home with her sister, Mrs. W. R. McCoy, of Inez. For the past few years she has been a teacher in the Louisa college, where she has had charge of the business department. She is a popular woman and Mr. Daniel is to be congratulated upon his wise selection for a life companion.

The happy couple are at home to their many friends in their handsome home in East Paintsville. They have the best wishes of a host of friends for a long, prosperous and happy life.

BOARD OF TRADE WILL MEET MONDAY

The Board of Trade will meet at the city hall on next Monday evening at 7 o'clock. A large attendance is expected.

Standing Committees.

The following committees have been named: Advertising and Industrial Development—

M. F. Conley, C. F. See, Jr., N. M. Orr.

Public Utilities, Water, Light, Railways, Waterways, Telegraphs, Telephones—

W. E. Queen, J. L. Richmond, Jas. Woods.

Legislation, Taxation, Insurance—

G. R. Burgess, R. C. McClure, M. H. Sparks.

Municipal and County Affairs—

Jas. Norton, W. H. Adams, H. H. Sparks.

Sanitation and Public Health—

Dr. A. W. Bromley, Dr. L. H. York, Dr. T. D. Burgess.

Schools, parks and play grounds—

W. M. Byington, E. M. Kennison, John Mounts.

Wholesale and Retail Business—

A. M. Hughes, H. E. Adams, R. L. Vinson.

Finance—

A. B. Ayres, Rabi. Dixon, J. P. Miller.

Membership—

J. P. Gartin, J. H. Vaughan, C. B. Waltes.

Reception and Entertainment—

P. A. Millard, L. E. Cooksey, B. J. Chaffin.

CIRCUIT COURT.

The regular Lawrence County term of Circuit Court will begin the first Monday in February.

LOUISA MASONS FIRST OVER THE TOP IN DRIVE

First Lodge in Kentucky to Subscribe Quota of Widows and Orphans Million Dollar Fund.

Grand Secretary Dave Jackson, of Louisville, was present Wednesday night at the meeting of Apperson Lodge No. 195. Several other visiting brethren were in attendance.

The principal address of the evening was made by the Grand Secretary of the Million Dollar Fund for the Widows and Orphans Home in Louisville. This fund is to build a new home.

About fifty members of Apperson Lodge were present, and several visitors from other points. They subscribed the full quota to the fund for the home.

A banquet was served by the ladies of Louisa Chapter, Order of Eastern Star recently organized in Louisa.

Mr. Jackson says this is the first lodge in Kentucky to subscribe its quota. Well, that's no more than may be expected of a Big Sandy lodge. It is a sort of habit acquired under the inspiration of our old time slogan, "Big Sandy Against the World."

It is generally known that there are a lot of secrets about these lodge doings, but there seems to be no effort on the part of those present to conceal the fact that this affair was one of the most enjoyable they have ever attended.

KIRKS ALLEGED TO BE DEFYING ARREST

The Kirk Brothers, charged with the murder of Martin Wells and D. C. Harmon, near Van Lear, are said to be barricaded at their home, defying arrest. It is reported that the Johnson county authorities may ask for State militia to arrest them. Other outlaws are said to be with the Kirks.

TWO MEN ACCUSED OF KILLING ELIJAH SERGEANT

Whiteburg, Ky.—"Horse" Neice has been arrested at Rockhouse Creek in this county charged with being an accomplice and an abettor in the murder of Elijah Sergeant of Indian Creek, whose body was found in the mountains a week ago.

Uriah Bates was also arrested and is being held for the murder. Bates is said, sent the wife of the dead man word the day before his body was found that she need not be uneasy that Sergeant would never return. Sergeant is said to have refused his daughter's hand in marriage with fines, which greatly enraged him.

Neice, it is said, says that he and Bates carried Sergeant's body to three different places before finally leaving it. It is said that Sergeant was strangled to the mountains and there robbed of his money.

WAYNE ITEMS

Miss Bessie Marcum of Ceredo and Bruce Williams of Ashland were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fisher Seagars.

E. O. Churnutt spent Sunday with his family here.

O. J. Kife of Kenova was her on business Saturday.

Mrs. J. R. Keese of Huntington is visiting Mr. and Mrs. U. H. Napier.

Clyde Seagars was the guest of Kenova friends Saturday.

J. M. Rigg, who has accepted a position in Huntington spent Sunday with his family.

Clinde Newman was in Huntington on business Monday.

Mrs. D. B. Hadwick and children are visiting relatives at Elmwood.

Zona Perry of Portsmouth spent Sunday with his parents.

W. T. Hardwick of Geoua was in Wayne on business Saturday.

Ralph Taylor visited friends in Ft. Gay the last of the week.

Mrs. Charley Ferguson has returned from a visit with her parents at Ardel.

Mrs. Wayne Willis of Kenova spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. J. M. Walker was visiting relatives in Kenova last week.

Milton Ferguson, who is attending school at Morris-Harvey spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents at Elmwood.

Harry Bloss of Lavalette spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Bowen.

Dr. and Mrs. G. R. Burgess have returned from a two weeks stay in Cincinnati.

Charley Crockett was in Huntington on business the first of the week.

The Red Cross received on Monday twelve dozen garments to make for the Belgians. The ladies met with Mrs. G. R. Burgess Tuesday afternoon and several garments were finished.

Mrs. Fleisher Seagars was hostess to the E. C. S. club Saturday evening. The hours were pleasantly spent in sewing and other delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Jones Porter, Claude Newman, Boyd Wolman, R. J. Thompson, E. J. Wilcox, Tim Perry, G. R. Burgess, U. O. Wiles, J. R. Keese, Misses Nell Taylor, Kitten Adkins, Gypsy Beckett, Marjorie Burgess and Bessie Marcum.

GRIMES.

R. A. BICKEL BECOMES DIRECTOR OF A HUNTINGTON BANK

We notice that Mr. R. A. Bickel has been elected a director in the Huntington Bank & Trust Company. This is a recognition of Mr. Bickel's business ability, won by the successful conduct of his affairs in Huntington during his few years of citizenship there. Not only has he proved himself to be one of the most capable life insurance men in the country, but he has shown excellent judgment in other business matters also. For instance, in real estate he has made a number of good deals. He owns a thoroughly modern home in which every convenience has been provided.

Through intelligent effort and square dealing Mr. Bickel is steadily climbing to higher place on that famous list of Big Sandlins who have gone up against the world and won out in the struggle. We are proud of his success and expect to see him continue to rise.

MOONSHINERS CAUGHT.

The Grayson Journal says:—Sheriff J. M. Flannery got word Wednesday that there were two fellows at Hitechins who had the ear marks and other necessary accoutrements to arouse suspicion that they were full fledged moonshiners and peddlers of corn juice. Hastily summoning ex-Marshall Frank Truter they left at once for the Junction. On arriving there they arrested Charlie Johnson and Ben Sparks, both of Elliott county, and upon examining their grips found some nine gallons of a No. 1 moonshine whisky—and they say they make some good over there. The prisoners were brought here and placed in jail to await their trial. The men were said to be enroute to Portsmouth, Ohio, with their product.

NATIONAL THRIFT WEEK STARTS 17TH AND CLOSSES 24TH

Remember that the National Thrift Week, promoted by the United States government through the various organizations of the country starts Saturday of this week and runs until Saturday of next week.

Like good soldiers the people of the United States are expected to fall in with this movement to save money and to start the boys and girls to saving.

While it is easy to make money, it is the time to save. This money will have twice its present purchasing power within the next few years.

Put all you can in bank every week and you will be surprised at the results.

The people of the United States are the most extravagant and wasteful people in the world. Our government wants to teach the people the importance of changing this bad habit. Let everybody join in the movement.

Those who have money in bank are safe against want in times of stress, during illness, and in old age. Also, when opportunity knocks at the door the man or woman who has money is ready to invite the welcome caller in and profit by the chance.

The Ten Financial Commandments.

1. Work and Earn.
2. Make a Budget.
3. Keep a Record of Expenditures.
4. Have a Bank Account.
5. Carry Life Insurance.
6. Make a Will.
7. Own Your Own Home.
8. Pay Your Bills Promptly.
9. Invest in Government Securities.
10. Share With Others.

Ten Barrel Well In Carter County

The Grayson Journal says:—I. B. Cooksey and Dr. J. T. Stephens, of this city, and I. D. Patton, of Seidler, chief promoters of the Lawton Oil & Gas Company, hid fair to have their efforts to strike oil in this county richly rewarded. Their lucky strike is on the land of James Jacobs, on Tycart, and about one mile from Lawton. Some two months ago they had an Olive Hill drilling company to begin work on this lease. At a depth of 75 feet a good showing of oil was found in Big Indian sand, and at a depth of 479 feet and in the Berea sand, the prospect was so good it was decided to "shoot" the well, which was done December 24th, with the result that a 10-barrel producer was brought in. Being of the Berea quality—a dark green—makes it a superior grade of oil.

The company is going right ahead boring and developing other wells on their adjoining tracts of some eleven hundred acres. Some twenty years ago two or three wells was sunk on this land and a showing was then had, but owing to a lack of modern machinery, and no knowledge of "shooting" a well at that time prevailing, the project came to a standstill. Much interest has been created in this section, and company stock is selling without effort. This strike will go far toward stimulating drilling for oil in Carter county. Geological surveys show oil to exist in this section and persistent effort will bring it forth to be utilized in the various avenues of trade.

Rev. Stambaugh Resigns.

Rev. J. H. Stambaugh has resigned as pastor of the Christian Church at this place. He has accepted the pastorate of the Olive Hill and Grayson churches. He will continue to reside at Charleston, W. Va.

SEARCH BEING MADE FOR MISSING BOY

A search is being made for Harkins Watts, 15 year old son of Thimon Watts of Genoa, a few miles south of Wayne, who disappeared from his home four months ago.

The following description of the missing boy was given by his father: The boy is 14 years and 10 months old, has light hair and a fair complexion and pale blue eyes. A good identification is that his left big toe has been cut off—Wayne News.

JAMES CHILDERS KILLED BY BLAST AT WILLIAMSON

City Badly Shaken and Many Windows Broken By Powder Explosion.

Williamson, W. Va., Jan. 12.—The explosion of a powder magazine near the entrance to the Randolph mine on the outskirts of Williamson resulted in the death of James Childers, a mine foreman, and did great damage to property, the chief source of loss being shattered windows in the city of Williamson.

The explosion occurred at about seven o'clock in the morning, a large magazine in which blasting powder and dynamite were stored letting loose with fearful effect.

With the first shock of the detonation the people of Williamson and vicinity were thrown into a panic of dread, believing that a mine horror of major proportions had occurred. As it happened, however, no fatality other than the death of Childers occurred.

The streets of Williamson for hours this morning were littered with fragments of broken glass. Some of the largest plate glass windows in the department and other stores were shattered into bits. Dwelling houses were rendered practically uninhabitable because hardly a window pane remained in these in that section of the city nearer the scene of the explosion. Churches and schools were also large sufferers.

Childers was standing in the door of the powder house when the explosion took place and was literally blown away. Nothing was found of him excepting shreds of clothing that were identified as having been worn by him, prior to the explosion and a silver watch which he had worn and which strange to say, was little the worse for wear and was still ticking.

Another man who stood at some distance from the powder house was slightly injured.

By the merest chance a number of men had passed the place a few minutes before the explosion of the powder and spoke briefly to Childers and then passed on. Two of these were knocked from their feet and other members of the party were deafened temporarily by the concussion.

Had they remained a few minutes longer to talk to Childers they would have assuredly been killed.

The cause of the explosion of this mining powder is a mystery. Childers was a native of Kentucky. His age was 35. A wife survives him.

Blast Closes Schools.

The Herald Dispatch says:—Advices from Williamson yesterday were to the effect that the public schools had been forced to suspend as a result of the explosion of a mine powder magazine there on Monday morning. Almost every pane of glass in the principal school buildings was shattered, and it was found impossible either to replace at once the broken panes or to find any temporary device for the protection of the pupils.

Mr. Stratton, proprietor of the Stratton hotel, who was stricken as a result of the shock from the explosion died and was buried yesterday, a report received from Williamson last night stated.

Unusual Value—In Tires for Small Cars



30x3½ Goodyear Double-Cure Fabric, All-Weather Tread..... \$20.00
30x3½ Goodyear Single-Cure Fabric, Anti-Skid Tread..... \$17.65

Not only is characteristic Goodyear merit conspicuous in Goodyear Tires for small cars but ordinarily the first cost is found to be not greater than that of other tires; often it is actually less.

The combination of unusual value in first cost and very low final cost, of course, is a result of Goodyear experience, expertness and care employed as insistently in the making of 30x3, 30x3½ and 31x4-inch tires as it is in the construction of the famous Goodyear Cord Tires used on the highest-priced automobiles.

For this reason more cars using these small sizes were factory-equipped last year with Goodyear Tires than with any other kind. Get this unusual tire value to enjoy on your Ford, Chevrolet, Dort, Maxwell, or other small car, at the nearest Goodyear Service Station. Get these tires and Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes at this station.

Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes are thick, strong tubes that reinforce casings properly. Why risk a good casing with a cheap tube? Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes cost little more than tubes of less merit. 30x3½ size in water—\$3.90 proof bag.

GOODYEAR

HOME CIRCLE COLUMN

Most of our wishes aren't any better for the telling; in fact, it probably makes them worse. And there is nothing quite so boring to most people as to listen to a long string of ailments. Everyone of us has to suffer enough trouble and sorrow and pain sometimes in our life without adopting the ailments of someone else.

A sense of humor is a dangerous thing to be without. But if you have it it will picture amusing things where there are none, like a magic lantern. It will focus your view point on a pleasurable understanding of the humorous that is broad enough even to include yourself. A good laugh at your own expense will take the edge off the sting of the worst hurt. Such a laugh attracts the good-fellowship of others.

Consequently, such a person is always spoken of with a pitying smile and a shrug. And when a real sorrow comes to him, it's as hard for you to believe it as for him to realize it. This is very much like the case of the small boy who hollers, "Fire, Fire!" when there is none. It will receive about as much consideration, too. If such trouble makers would exert their genius for manufacturing along some useful line, they might make good. But the trouble might make good. But the trouble market is already over-crowded.

Oh, how cruel it is to be so misjudged and misunderstood by the hard world! Of course fortune has singled you out, alone, for this unique favor. No one else is, has been, or ever will be blamed unjustly. Nor is anyone else ever disappointed even in a little thing. All mankind is twice as faulty as you are, and gets twice as much without asking. But there is one cross

"Laugh, and the world laughs with you; weep and you weep alone."

Borrowing trouble is about as profitable as borrowing money. There are some people that a person can't meet without subjecting his ears to a string of calamities as yet unborn, but feebly prophesied. They would always be avoided if they weren't so amusing—greater than all of yours—which the more fortunate must hear always; that is the sight of your constant pecking at the hands of self-pity.

Many illustrious men, widely traveled, have returned to write books of their excursions. That doesn't signify that you have only to travel to become a famous author. It does mean that instructive traveling will give you an appreciation of gifted men, if you have not their power of expression. Incidentally, it will write a whole book for you on the value of the things that you have already, and the desirability of those which you thought you wanted hitherto.

How long would any child play with a toy dog without any stuffing? Just that long will normal, fun-loving children play with the exceedingly good little boy, and perhaps not so long, if he is dressed up pretty, wearing curls, like a girl. Don't make your little boy's childhood a horror by trying to incorporate in him all the desirable virtues that you see in other children. A young child can not be controlled by the logic of cause and effect. Their instincts demand expression, although the misplaced energy so called forth often results in much seeming naughtiness. For these same instincts will become strong forces of character later on, and must be developed carefully, not repressed. The child who is repressed into such exceptional goodness almost never falls to come a cropper sooner or later.

Every small boy develops the long-lag to be a big man very young, and, if he is average, he resents coddling especially. The best way to manage him is to hold before him the responsibility of the "hero man" as his own. Then give him freedom in which to experiment and afterwards bring out the good points in his mistakes, for there are bound to be such. Did you ever think that the more you emphasize the bad, the more prominent it becomes in the very receptive mind of the child? Above all, if you want to keep the respect and confidence of your young son, don't tell him that he is the worst child you ever saw and on top of that urge him to be more like the detested "Percy" of his young friends. It's just child psychology, that's all.

So many old couples who begin life in comparative poverty, approach old age with a comfortable competence which they are powerless to enjoy. It keeps the wolf from the door, that is all, because they have never known how to stop and take a little pleasure now and then throughout life. The result

is the narrowing of their interests until they must live on memories alone, often rather bitter ones. Even a more pitiful sight is such a person growing old. You see them with frowns so pinched that you wince to look at them. There is no audience to appreciate such martyrdom in this age. Nor is there anyone who can't afford some pleasure occasionally, if he really wants it. This doesn't make him out a spendthrift, or unprincipled. Such people should give the old adage, "Sufficient unto itself is the day," a good deal of thought, lest the remaining days become mere time in the passing for them.

LEDOCIO AND ADAMS

News is scarce, but plenty of mud. Rev. G. A. Thompson went to Cando Sunday to hold church.

Foazo Moore, who has been down from Regina visiting friends, has returned home.

Lots of sickness in our neighborhood mostly all grippe.

O. K. Hays left Saturday for Columbus, Ohio, where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hayes and Mr. and Mrs. Matt Hayes spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hayes.

Shirley Miller and Green Thompson spent Sunday with Tisha and Julia McKinstry, of Noris.

Willie Thompson and sister, Lou V. of Noris, spent Sunday with their cousin, Opal E. Miller.

Mrs. Mill Short spent Sunday with Mrs. Sam Thompson.

Mary Thompson spent Sunday with

"The Fisherman" is the "Mark of Supremacy" which for nearly five decades has marked the fame of

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Opal E. Miller.
Emma Hayes spent Sunday with her cousin, Dove Hayes, of this place.
Dove Hayes spent Thursday night with Grathel Jordan.
Lindsey Thompson, Edna Vynhouse and Alvie Spencer passed up our creek on route to Cando Sunday.
Lou Wellman spent Thursday night with Edna C. Moore.
Ivory Justice was visiting Dixie Thompson Sunday.
A. L. Moore made a business trip to Louisa Wednesday.
W. T. Moore went to Louisa Sunday to meet his son Hubert, who has been at London, Ohio, for some time.
Willie Hughes has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Pearl Curmuto this week.
A TRUE LOVER.

POINT NEWS

Velda See spent Sunday night with Garnette Hartman and Mrs. Emily Arnett.

Several from our vicinity expect to move to Louisa by the last of the week.

Con Moore came home from Ashland very ill with symptoms of typhoid.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Moore were the guests of Louisa relatives Sunday.

Susie Thornhill is unable to attend school on account of getting burned.

Johnnie Moore spent Sunday with Susie and Millard Thornhill.

Jeff Cyrus is looking for the oil well Sylvia Cox came down from Torch light.

Claude Thompson is improving.

Ray Hartman and bride returned to Ashland Saturday.

Tom Moore spent Saturday evening with his best girl in Louisa.

Mrs. Nellie Chubaree spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Clyde Welch.

CHAD AND DUMP.

YELLOW BUD, OHIO

J. H. Large was a business visitor at Yellow Bud Saturday.

Miss Davie Large has returned home from Columbus, Ohio, where she has been employed.

Eugene Large and wife, who have been down with grippe, are better.

Brett Large has returned home from Dennis, Ky., after spending Christmas with his sister, Mrs. Martha Kitchen.

It was his second visit in nine years back to his old home.

Clyde Stratenberger, Ernest and Chester Large were visiting in Yellow Bud New Year's night and all reported a nice time.

Little Miss May Peelm was enrolling on Miss Doshia Large and sister Birdie New Years.

Miss Emma Large, who was home to spend Christmas from Ashland, Ky., where she has been employed, returned to her work New Year's day.

The school children who have been home for Christmas vacation, returned to school last Monday.

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UPPER LICK CREEK

School closed at this place Monday. A large crowd and plenty of candy. We are all sorry to see school out as our teacher has taught an excellent school.

Ira See was in Ashland one day last week.

W. H. Childers made a business trip to Evergreen Wednesday.

Miss Lizzie Miller has returned home after spending two months with her sister, Mrs. Bill Priddy.

Gertrude Friley, of Van Lear, was down spending a few days with her grandfather, James Miller.

A large crowd of boys and girls took dinner with Miss Marie See Sunday.

The party given by Midge See and Dixie Brannan was largely attended. Everyone returned home saying they had a jolly and happy time.

Miss Midge Tier has returned to her home in Louisa after spending a few days with her cousins, Margie and Bessie Miller.

Harlan Blackburn was in Louisa one day last week.

Lee Shannon is expected down from Drift soon.

Mrs. W. R. Childers took dinner with Margie and Bessie Miller last Saturday.

Miss Leonie Childers was enrolling on her sister, Mrs. Arvie Childers one day last week.

Lou and Darlene Cox were in Torchlight last Monday.

Mrs. W. M. Burgess was on our creek Monday.

Will Gibson made a trip to Prentissburg last week, but has returned home.

There will be church at this place the second Sunday in next month by Rev. A. H. Miller. We hope there will be a large crowd out. We haven't had any church for some time.

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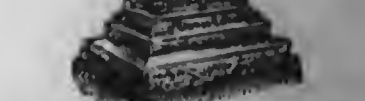
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There will be Sunday School here Sunday at 2:30 o'clock.

Opal Chae and Florence Crank spent Sunday with Charline and Deanie Adkins.

May Crank was enrolling on Mrs. Mary Adkins Sunday.

Maxie Ball was at Charline, Booth Monday.

Charlie Booth was at Florence Crank's Monday.

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Friday, January 16, 1920.

Clyde Levi, of Ashland, has been appointed on the Workman's Compensation Board of Kentucky.

Japan has been caught transporting arms and ammunition to Mexico. The United States will probably be the first to need the help that the League of Nations would give if we were a member of the League.

Gov. Morrow says he did not, in any of his speeches, advocate the repeal of the dog law, and that he wants it to remain upon the statute books; but he says the fees and costs of administering it must be reduced very materially. Those who heard him speak at Louisa got the impression that he favored the repeal of the law, as he talked very touchingly about "freeing old Ring".

The U. S. Senate continues to let politics stand in the way of ratifying the peace treaty of the world. The council at Versailles has concluded the peace treaty for all Europe, but we are still at war with Germany and Austria. If we are forced to make a separate peace with these countries we can not hope to get anything like the terms given under the treaty which the Senate has rejected. That is exactly what must happen to us. The people are disgusted. They want the thing ended so that normal conditions may be restored. Lodge and Reed and LaFollette set themselves up against the wisdom of that great body of world leaders who were right on the ground and knew the situation better than these fellows can ever learn at long range.

JOEL D. KAZEE.

Joel D. Kazez was born in Lawrence county in 1890. He was the son of H. W. and Lizzie Kazez. He married Miss Sadie Prose in 1912. He leaves a widow and two children—one boy age 2 years and a girl aged 7 years; his mother, two brothers and two sisters. He was scalded in an accident at the Ashland Solvay coke plant while performing his duty attending to lines. The accident happened about 2 a. m. December 21, 1919, and he died about 9 o'clock the same morning.

His wife went and stayed with him at the hospital and talked with him. He was in his right mind and told her not to cry, and asked her, "What did I tell you about me getting hurt." He told his wife he thought he was all right and then said "I praise the Lord." He was buried at the Ashland cemetery by the L. O. O. F. lodge.

Mrs. Sadie Kazez is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Prose. They live at Irad, Lawrence county. Joel was thought well of by everybody.

A FRIEND.

WALBRIDGE

Wesley Peters and Malcolm Stansbury left Saturday for Williamson where they have employment.

Miss Briza Peters, who is attending school at Louisa, spent the week-end with home folks.

Miss Vessie Peters was a visitor in Louisa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. York are the proud parents of twins—boys.

Mrs. Land Holt, Mrs. E. F. Clark, Ralph and Otis Forrell went to Richardson Monday to attend the close of Miss Marie Holt's school. They spent the day with Mrs. W. W. Wray and other friends.

MATTIE

Church at this place Sunday was largely attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hayes spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Childers.

Lewis Moore left Sunday for Ashland where he has employment.

Mrs. R. C. Berry of Cordell was on our creek Sunday.

Bascom Moore left Sunday for Klee station where he will finish his school. Jettie Hays spent Saturday afternoon with Stella Moore.

J. D. Ball made a trip to Louisa one day last week.

Bascom Moore and Roman Steele of Cordell were on our creek Sunday.

Stella and Ruby Moore were out horseback riding Sunday afternoon.

Lewis Moore had the misfortune of losing a fine young horse recently.

Uglio and Victoria Wellman were shopping at this place Friday.

Luther Moore left recently for Ashland.

Mrs. Fred Short was visiting Mrs. W. H. C. Moore Sunday.

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BUSSEYVILLE AND SMOKY VALLEY

Sunday School at Smoky Valley is progressing nicely with Bro. Lindsey Cyrus Sup.

Miss Martha Roberts was in Louisa Saturday.

Miss Helvia Bradley spent the week-end in Louisa.

Gladys Meek, of this place, is visiting relatives in Williamson, W. Va.

El. W. Castle made a business trip to Louisa Saturday.

Miss Mollie Hoberts returned to her home in Busseyville Saturday, after a visit to Jenkins.

Warren Pigg, of Busseyville, was in Louisa Friday.

T. H. Bove made a business trip to Torchlight Saturday.

Misses Gertrude and Audrey Fletcher left Saturday for Portsmouth, Ohio, where they will visit their sister, Miss Oma Fletcher.

Mrs. Arnold Bove and Edith Bove called on Mrs. Eric Compton, of Lick Creek, Friday.

Miss Gertrude Pigg is visiting her sister, Mrs. Stanton Miller, at Charley.

Jim Carter was the week-end guest of his sister, Mrs. L. E. Pigg, of Busseyville.

L. E. Pigg was in Louisa Saturday.

Mrs. Jennie Boggs, Misses Hazel and Lucille Muncy and Pansy Meek were callers in Busseyville Friday.

Jim Fletcher and son Andrew, are still in the fur business.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Terry and little son Charles Vernon, are the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Meek.

Richard Adams was on our creek Wednesday.

Henry Terry passed through Busseyville Wednesday.

Mrs. T. H. Bove and son Arnold made a business trip to Louisa Saturday.

Walter, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hay, is very sick at this writing.

Lucille Muncy called on Pansy Meek Monday.

H. W. Bussey made a business trip to Louisa Saturday.

Mrs. Patty Fraley passed through Busseyville Monday.

Aldeen Meek and Hazel Muncy were guests of Misses Emma and Ida Muncy Sunday.

Bro. Lindsey Cyrus preached a very interesting sermon to a large congregation at Smoky Valley Sunday.

Mike See, Bee Branham and Andy Shannon, of Lick Creek, attended church at Smoky Valley Sunday night.

Miss Dorothy Cyrus of this place spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Fred Wellman, of Little Blaine.

Vint Nolen called on Blanche Hay Sunday.

Charley Adams, of Busseyville, attended church at Smoky Valley Sunday night.

George Jones, of Smoky Valley, contemplates going to Indiana. We regret to see him leave.

Thomas Isaac, of Lick Creek, attended church at Smoky Valley Sunday.

Lee Nolen called on his best girl Sunday.

Miss Pansy and Hubert Meek were in Smoky Valley Sunday evening.

David Bradley was in Louisa Saturday.

Remember the appointments Sunday. School every Sunday morning, church Sunday night at Smoky Valley.

Church at Busseyville every fourth Saturday night and Sunday morning by Rev. Ora Sparks. He is a splendid minister. Let everybody come out and hear him.

JOHNIE.

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SO. SOLON, OHIO

Levi Jones made a business trip to Washington C. H. this week.

Luther Holbrook has employment in the So. Solon garage.

Carman Church and brother Carl, who had been husking corn here, have returned to their home in Kentucky.

Frank Sexton and G. C. Hicks passed through this place this week with a nice bunch of horses.

There is a big snow on the ground here and it is still snowing.

Rev. Notter, from Indiana, is holding a protracted meeting here.

Sam Hicks and family have moved here from Jeffersonville, Ohio.

Mrs. Sarah Holbrook was calling on Mrs. Cassie Hicks this week.

Ellah Miles was calling on Sam Hicks last week.

Mrs. Sarah Holbrook and son, Luther, are expecting to move into the property vacated by Mrs. W. A. Skinner.

A KENTUCKY BOY.

BUCHANAN

Miss Hazel Black came home from Huntington Sunday quite sick with fever.

Mrs. Delbiba Stump has returned home from Pennsylvania having spent the holidays with her sons there.

Miss Arlene White has recovered from an attack of smallpox and will be ready to resume school at Cattlettsburg soon.

R. W. Bennett of East Liverpool, O., was a recent guest of his cousin L. E. Bennett and family.

Mrs. Ben Copley has smallpox. No other new cases have developed the past few days and members are being vaccinated. It is hoped it will soon die out.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Compton of Lock No. 2, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Rev. J. R. Farley assisted by Rev. Ollie Black is conducting a series of meetings at Durbin.

W. S. Roberts has moved to Zelma and Alex Holson will occupy the house.

S. G. Compton of Racine, O., and L. R. Compton of Portsmouth, O., were recent guests of their parents here.

K. E. Butcher was home over Sunday from Radnor, W. Va.

Born, Tuesday, to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Faulkner, a son. Lewis is Boyd county's champion, tipping the scales at more than 400 pounds. The new son is promising. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Laklin, Jr., have a new son.

Mrs. L. R. Campbell is up from Ashland visiting relatives.

Mrs. Annie Kinney, who has been quite sick is improving.

Miss Ethel Layne is teaching an additional two months of school.

Mrs. W. H. Morris came over from Kenova today to see her father John Turman, who is ill.

Mrs. Ben Lockwood spent part of last week with her husband at Palmsville.

Dr. Priehard was called to Lockwood to see Mrs. Lucy Lockwood, who is quite sick.

Mrs. D. L. Parsons was up from Lockwood station over night Monday.

Born, Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thacker of Durbin, a son.

An examination will be held at Louisa January 24 to fill the vacancy of rural letter carrier on Route 1 here.

HAPPY JACK.

GLADYS

C. C. Kitchen is expected home soon from Tappin, W. Va., where he and his son Millard have been engaged in a timber job.

The roads are in bad shape in this vicinity owing to the heavy rain of last week.

Mrs. C. C. Kitchen and little son Arthur were shopping at C. Jobe's last week.

Jim Kitchen and Alma Kitchen passed up our creek Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Berry was calling on Mrs. C. C. Kitchen Monday.

Miss Carrie Widen was calling on Mrs. Fred Burdett Sunday.

We are glad to know that aunt Lou Kitchen is improving.

Charley Dorefield is contemplating a trip to Coal River soon.

John Kitchen was the pleasant guest of Chester and Tivis Kitchen Saturday night.

Chester Kitchen was calling on Tivis Wright recently.

Flossie and Lizzie Kitchen were the pleasant guests of Carrie Nolen Sunday.

Otto Jobe was calling on his best girl at Gladys Sunday.

Joe Kitchen and Nolan Webb passed up our creek Sunday.

W. J. Wright and John Leadman passed down our creek last week.

Lizzie Kitchen was visiting Carrie Nolen Monday. JACK AND JILL.

TARKILN

School closed at this place Friday. A large crowd attended. We are all sorry to see school out as our teacher has taught an excellent school.

Noah Sagraves passed down our creek one day last week en route to Blaine.

Dovey Ross and sister Mollie, of Davisville, attended school at this place Friday.

Nela Boggs was the pleasant guest of Miss Hertha Greene Friday night.

Mrs. Stella Salyer, of Ellen, was calling on her parents, J. M. Wheeler last week.

Miss Lottie Bishop attended singing school Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Sagraves and wife were calling on Batie Boggs last Sunday.

Otis Greene and Cody A. Greene made a business trip to Louisa Wednesday.

Benson Burgess was calling on his best girl Sunday.

Nemie Moore and father were shopping in Blaine Saturday.

Jessie Evans, Nannie Lester, Ethel Caudill and Lena Caudill attended singing Sunday.

The sick of our community are greatly improved.

There will be singing at this place every Saturday and Sunday. Everybody invited to come.

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Former values from \$10 to \$17.50 for \$4.75.

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The bonnets are made of velour, velvets, plush and silks in black, navy, taupe, brown and rose.

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Your choice of one table of Boys' Hats—fashioned from cloth and velour in colors and checks—for 25c.

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RICHARDSON

Miss Josie Cassell has returned to Portsmouth, Ohio, after a brief visit with home folks.

Miss Helen Stonell, of Harold, spent a night recently with her aunt, Mrs. W. W. Wray, en route to Greenup.

Miss Marie Holt spent the week-end with home folks at Holi.

Misses Josie and Rosa Cassell were calling on Miss Gypsy Vaughan Monday evening.

Misses Shirley Wray and Lucille Wallace spent the afternoon Sunday with Miss Edna Vaughan.

Mrs. Corbet Cassell and children spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Davis.

Dr. W. W. Wray was a business visitor in Huntington Saturday.

Miss Jennie Childers, of Emma, is visiting her brother, Wm. Childers.

Miss Mary Edith Davis spent the night Friday with her sister Mrs. C. Cassell.

Orville Stinson, of Whitehouse, was calling on Miss Lucille Wallace Thursday night.

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For 5 lb. hens we give \$1.50 in groceries; 25 lb. hens in groceries, 23c in cash; 20c in groceries for shoulders, 18c cash.

In the spring we want to buy Irish potatoes for cash.

We are leaders in groceries. Fancy apples 3 for 5c, 5c and 10c each. Oranges, lemons, bananas, pop, 3 bottles 25c; 2 quart bottle ale 25c.

We want to buy all the poultry in 20 miles square at high market cash price.

Start furs to us. We will please you with big check. We are backed in United States with thousands of friends. We stand by poultry raisers and protect all my little stores and say let groceries stay in shelf before doing credit business. Corn sale \$1.00 bushel. Short corn to feed horse.

Fresh cheese and bologna sausage, all kinds fresh lunch, hot stove to warm by. Welcome, one and all, little children especially invited to stop and warm. We hope the world New Year's success.

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BIG SANDY NEWS

Friday, January 16, 1920.



Yuletide Noises.

"What was that noise?"
Asked Old Man Squint;
When mother dropped
Her Christmas hint.
—Detroit Free Press.

Hut when Celeste
At last dropped hers,
It made no noise,
"For it was," "Kura."

Born Jan. 14, to Mr. and Mrs. John Hurlou, a son—Alonso.

A. J. Ward and family have taken rooms at Mrs. Banfield's.

FOR RENT—One room on Lock avenue. Mrs. FLEM McHENRY.

Mr. and Mrs. Will K. Hays have moved to the property in lower Louisa that they purchased from E. E. Shannon.

FOR SALE—Two car loads of hay, Saturday and Monday. Save \$2.00 on the ton by buying from car. No. 1 Timothy \$38; No. 1 heavy clover mixed \$39. J. M. CYRUS.

Mrs. Mary H. Horton entertained a few friends last Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. W. L. Ferguson, who will leave next week for her home in Huntington.

SAW MILL FOR SALE.
at Jattle, Lawrence county, Ky. Price \$900. This is a very low price. The boiler and engine alone are worth more than this. MOULTON HAMMOND, Jattle, Ky.

Miss Hazel Kinstler and several of her little friends enjoyed a surprise birthday party given in her honor on last Saturday at her home on Maple-st.

FOR SALE—In Catlettsburg some modern homes, also some between Ashland and Catlettsburg, and in Ashland, also suburban property. Small payment down, balance in 12 & 12. Address 622 East Winchester Avenue, Ashland, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Taylor have moved to the house on Lock avenue which they bought recently from Ambrose Hay. Mr. Hay has gone to Ohio to buy a farm and will move there.

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You had better secure same at once as grand jury court is near at hand, and the Sheriff is required to see that the law is enforced and he has himself liable to a fine if he does not.
Therefore, you are hereby notified to a fine of not to exceed \$100 and not to exceed thirty days in the county jail or both by not securing same. There are more than 1000 dogs in the county which have not been listed with the clerk as shown by the Assessor's report and it is very easy for the Sheriff to find out from the records who have not secured license and tag and same will be placed before the grand jury; so you had better get busy and get your tag.
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There was never before a time when it paid so well as now to keep shoes repaired. The high prices and scarcity of leather makes it a duty to get all the wear possible out of every pair of shoes. Nothing will do so much to bring down the price of new shoes.

Look up all your old shoes and let us put them in condition for more service. Our prices are very reasonable.

Rubber heels increase the comfort of walking. We will put them on for you.

C. B. BROMLEY
LOUISA, KY.

GEORGES CREEK

We are glad to say that school has begun again.

Miss Lora Sparks visited home folks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pharo Chiblers and family spent the day with J. G. Preston Sunday.

Forrest Childers, of Prestonsburg, called on J. G. Preston Sunday.

Miss Clara Preston spent a few days with friends at Gallup last week.

Ed F. Burgess was the dinner guest of J. G. Preston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen P. Burgess have returned from Lick Creek.

Harper Preston, who has employment at Ironton, Ohio, is expected home soon.

Autie Burgess made a trip to Louisa last week.

Hubert and Dewey Preston called on their best girl Sunday.

Prayer meeting every Saturday night and Sunday evening. Everybody invited to attend. PINK ROSES.

UPPER LICK CREEK

The Rev. Albert Miller will have meeting here the second Sunday in next month. Let everybody come and try and have a good meeting.

Bernard Shannon and Rudolph Spencer of Shannon Branch, called on the farmers of this place Sunday afternoon.

Miss Edith and Mrs. Lillie Hogue of Greenbrier spent the day Friday with their sister, Mrs. H. Compton at this place.

Mrs. Wm. Gibson, who has been ill for some time is slowly improving. Also, Mrs. W. P. Compton is slowly improving.

Orn Compton and Monroe Fugate were at Torchlight store Saturday.

Ralph Castle made a business trip to Torchlight Thursday.

Andy Cheek was seen on the creek Monday and Tuesday.

G. H. Coste is talking of moving to Heiler where he holds a position. A LONESOME GIRL.

NOTICE

January 10th, 1920.
On and after this date I will pay for cutting and holding all the sawlogs I have adrift in Tug and Big Sandy river 50c per log. The logs are branded and marked as follows: H S H, D B Co., H P N L, small D O, J E C. Most of these logs are also branded with C. C. M. H. COLLINSWORTH.

PERSONAL MENTION

G. A. Nash, of Ashland, was in Louisa Wednesday.

Mrs. A. M. Campbell was in Huntington, W. Va., this week.

J. A. Stewart of Noris, was in the NEWS office Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McClure, of Gallup, were in Louisa Monday.

Rev. J. T. Moore, of Kenova, W. Va., was in Louisa Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ferguson were in Cincinnati this week.

Miss Fannie Austin, of Potter, was a visitor in Louisa Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Preston were visitors in Ashland last Saturday.

Mrs. Zeb Henton, of Nitro, W. Va., visited Louisa relatives Saturday.

Mrs. T. B. Billups and Miss Jerrie Billups have returned from Cincinnati.

Mrs. D. J. Burehett, Jr., and Mrs. C. W. McDonald were in Ashland Monday.

Mrs. Erastus Wellman, of Tahora Creek, W. Va., was a visitor in Louisa Monday.

Mrs. McGuire, of Portsmouth, Ohio, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. John Hurton.

Mrs. C. H. Ross, of Ashland, was the guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Waldeck.

Mr. F. H. Moore and Mrs. L. J. Webb went to Catlettsburg to see Mr. Will Cole who is ill.

R. L. Vinson joined his wife in Cincinnati Wednesday to remain until the last of the week.

Mrs. J. L. Carey and daughter, Catherine, are spending some time in Lexington with Mr. Carey.

Mrs. C. L. Crawford, of Ashland, was the guest this week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McClure.

Mrs. Hordis Meade, of Ashland, and Mrs. Fannie Sparks, of Blaine, have been visiting Mrs. R. C. Hurton.

Miss Matilda Wallace was in Paintsville several days visiting F. T. D. Wallace, Jr., and family.

J. H. Landman, of Hicksville, and W. J. Wright, of South Charleston, W. Va., were in Louisa Tuesday.

A. C. Carter and son, Burgess, were guests Sunday and Monday of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Woods at Vessie.

Mrs. R. L. Vinson and Misses Clara Bromley and Julia Snyder went to Cincinnati Sunday to spend a few days.

H. H. Minney and family and Mrs. Flen McHenry went to Gallup and attended the funeral of Mr. J. P. Shannon on Thursday.

Ray O. Bell, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Bell, arrived in Louisa Wednesday morning from South Carolina where he had been attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ayers were in Louisa Sunday from Fortville, Ind. They have gone to Upper Blaine where Mr. Ayers is operating oil property.

Miss Mollie Roberts, who held a position as stenographer at Hazard, has returned and has accepted the place she formerly held in Attorney Fred M. Vinson's office.

Mr. Oscar Crager, of West Jefferson, Ohio, is the guest of Mrs. Cora Burton and other Louisa relatives. Accompanied by Mr. A. T. Burton he visited relatives near Paintsville a few days.

Mrs. T. L. Henrity was in Louisa this week visiting Mrs. Wm. Justice. She stopped off here as she and Mr. Henrity were returning from a visit to his home in Virginia. She left Wednesday for Logan, W. Va. Mrs. Henrity was Miss Ernestine Stump.

Miss Hannah O'Brien was in Louisa a few days visiting Mrs. Hannah Lackey. She had been to Red Jacket, W. Va., to spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Bert Shannon. She will visit her sister, Mrs. E. K. Green, at Rindelle, W. Va., and her brother, John O'Brien, in Pittsburg, Pa., before returning to Detroit.

FAMILY HAS NARROW
ESCAPE FROM DEATH

John Stafford of near Dickson, W. Va., was aroused from sleep Wednesday night just in time to save his own life and the lives of his wife and four children from being wiped out by a fire which completely destroyed the home.

Mrs. Stafford is an invalid and in making her escape through a window was painfully injured. It was at first thought that her collar bone had been broken, but this was found to be a mistake. Not a garment of clothing was saved from the fire and the household furnishings were a total loss.—Wayne News.

Ray Vinson is able to be out after an illness of several weeks with typhoid fever.

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LATEST ADVICES DIRECT FROM MANUFACTURERS SAY PRICES WILL GO HIGHER YET ON NEARLY EVERYTHING. ALL WEARING APPAREL FOR MEN AND WOMEN WILL BE TWENTY-FIVE TO 40 PER CENT HIGHER.

We have given you correct advice on prices for a year or more. We have every faith in the correctness of the information given you now.

The wise course is to buy everything now that you possibly can for use this year and next. Clothing for women and men, shoes, and all furnishings. We have many great bargains still at your disposal.

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G. J. CARTER

Department Store

LOUISA, KENTUCKY

SUCCESSOR TO W. H. ADAMS

ZELDA

Mrs. T. H. Collinsworth and daughter, of Gonoa, W. Va., have returned home.

Mitchel Stewart and sister Myrtle are visiting friends at Shelby this week.

Henry Lambert and Earl Vanhorn were calling on friends here Sunday. James Bellomy, who has been visiting relatives here has returned to his home at Columbus, Ohio.

Those who attended singing at Buchanan Wednesday night were Retye and Pearl Meade, Wilma Collinsworth, Paul Bellomy, Harry Stewart and Harlan Dean.

Jack Bryan, our merchant, is doing bustling business at this place. R. H. Lakin was a business caller at Catlettsburg Saturday.

Mr. Roberts, formerly of Buchanan, is a resident of this place now. Joseph Stewart was calling on his uncle, H. K. Meade, Sunday morning. BARY DOLL.

THE CHURCHES

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.

Earl J. Justice has been appointed Centenary treasurer of the M. E. Church, South. All payments on this fund should be made to him. "The second payment on subscriptions is now due."

Rev. J. P. Bell was sick Wednesday night and unable to attend prayer meeting. F. H. Yates conducted the service. Mr. Bell has been suffering from a severe cold for a week or more.

Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
Morning service 10:30.
Evening service 6:30 o'clock.

Egworth League Sunday 5:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 6:30 p. m.
Bible Class Thursday 6:30 p. m.
Choir practice Friday evening 5:30 to 6:30.

A cordial invitation is extended every one to attend these services.
JAS. D. BELL, Pastor

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Sunday School every Sunday 9:30
Prayer meeting Wednesday 6:30.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
Teaching service 10:30 a. m.
Evening worship 6 o'clock.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 6 p. m.
First Wednesday night in each month business meeting.
You are cordially invited to attend all services. J. T. POPE, Pastor.

LOWMANSVILLE

Wm. Deboard has started up No. 3 mines on Horse Picture and expects a good run for the rest of the winter.

Sherman Chandler has sold his farm at Lowmansville. He will locate in Ohio.

Escal Hannah was calling on his girl Sunday.

School will be out at Chestnut Grove the 16th.

Church at this place Sunday was largely attended.

Jeff Chandler is buying plenty of furs now.

George Lowe has gone to house-

keeping.
Lonzie Church was calling on his girl at Henrietta last Sunday.
Jeff Chandler has returned to his home from New York where he had been for some time.
Charlie Chandler was out for an auto ride last Sunday.
Charley Skings was calling on his best girl last Sunday.
Wm. Hatfield was calling on his girl last Sunday.
Henry Griffith has returned to his work on Beaver.
No. 4 miners are out on a strike.
N. B. Tolliver lost a big fine horse a few days ago.



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TUXEDO HOG RATION

UNTIL you feed Tuxedo Hog Ration you cannot know how cheaply pork can be developed. Tuxedo is a quick fattener a never-failing producer of live, sturdy, good looking hogs. The formula is compounded along lines suggested by a prominent State Experiment Station Official.

Note of what Tuxedo Hog Ration is made, and you will understand why it is so very nutritious: Digester Tankage, Corn Meal, Ground Barley, Ground Oats, Wheat Middlings, Old Process Oil Meal, Gluten Feed, Alfalfa Meal.

This balanced mixture is sweetened with Cane Molasses.

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Also, many items in other departments to be closed out. Take advantage of this chance, as goods are still advancing and the longer you wait the more you will have to pay in all markets.

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LOUISA, KENTUCKY

You Are Invited

We have bought W. L. Ferguson's store in Louisa and have a complete stock of MEN'S CLOTHING, FURNISHINGS, HATS, AND SHOES FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN. We guarantee our prices to be right.

We invite you to call and get acquainted and let us show you what we can do for you. We are Lawrence County citizens, interested in the welfare and development of this section, and we ask a share of the patronage of the people.

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Always Be Sure of the Number

There are two ways to call a telephone number.

The wrong way is to call from memory; to "take a chance," to trust to luck that your memory doesn't play a trick on you, with the fickle figures in a telephone number.

The right way is to consult the Telephone Directory and make sure you have the right number.

The right way saves annoyance to yourself and to the persons you might have called by mistake. It helps build up a higher grade of service for yourself and others.

Always consult the Directory first.

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GREEN VALLEY

Church was largely attended at this place Sunday.

Miss Opal Riley was shopping at Cadmus Monday.

Miss Ray Stewart and sister, Mrs. Heber Hille, are visiting relatives at Catlettsburg this week.

Misses Beulah Collinsworth and Elizabeth Roberts were at Cadmus one day last week.

W. V. Prince and family attended the closing out of school at Oliveville Friday.

Mrs. Anna Belle and Zelda Ekers and Olga Hulet were shopping at Padisburg Monday.

We were sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Margaret Chaffin.

The Misses Hulet were calling on Mrs. Damer Riffe Sunday.

Claude Stewart, of Prestonsburg, was visiting friends at Cadmus last week.

Miss Leta Burchett is very sick at this writing.

Mrs. Julia Prince and daughter Estia were calling on Mrs. Joe Burchett Monday.

Miss Mary Chadwick spent Sunday night with her aunt, Mrs. W. M. Chadwick.

Mrs. Fred Stewart and daughter, Dora Bowe, who have been visiting Mrs. Stewart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Harman, of Waverly, are expected home soon.

Mrs. Susan Riley is on the sick list this week.

Miss Anna Belle Ekers will visit in Prestonsburg soon.

George Adkins was calling on Miss Otis Hulet Sunday.

Monroe Adams is visiting at Kenova this week.

GALLUP

Boys to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hardin on the 6th, a boy.

The revival meeting at this place is still in session.

Mr. Morgan and County Agent Baker were business visitors here Tuesday.

Mrs. W. A. Carey has returned to her home at Chapman from Louisa.

Miss Mary Ethel McClure spent the day Sunday with Misses Pauline and Irene McClure.

A. G. Childress was a business visitor in Louisa Tuesday.

G. W. Shivel and John McClure Jr., left for Huntington Sunday on business.

Miss Hazel Hall spent the week end with friends at Louisa.

Miss Rosa Ruffner returned Monday from a few days visit at Louisa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McClure were business visitors in Louisa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hardin left Monday for their new home at Padisburg.



Girls! Your hair needs a little "Danderine"—that's all! When it becomes lifeless, thin or loses its lustre; when ugly dandruff appears, or your hair falls out, a 35-cent bottle of delightful, dependable "Danderine" from any store, will save your hair, also double it's beauty. Try "Danderine" and see!

BUCHANAN

Mrs. Delba Stump has returned from a six-weeks' visit to Donora, Pa., and East Liverpool, Ohio, where she has been the guest of her sons, Hattie and John Stump.

Mrs. John Stewart is very low with pneumonia.

The family of Ben Copley is under quarantine for small-pox.

Mrs. J. F. Hatten was shopping in Ashland recently.

Sherman Roberts has bought the Pauley property at Zelma and has moved his family there. Alex Robson and family will move into the property vacated by them.

L. E. Bennett was a business caller in Catlettsburg and Kenova last week.

Joe Compton, of Kavanagh locks, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Turman and children have returned to Catlettsburg after an extended visit to parents and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ross and little son, of Mt. Zion, were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Turman.

Mrs. Chas. Warren visited relatives at Burnaugh recently. XERNES.

HUBBARDSTOWN

Death visited the home of Mr. C. C. Hatten and took from him his loving wife. The bereaved family has our sympathy.

Chas. Y. Lakin, of Huntington, W. Va., attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. C. C. Hatten.

Jewel Billups, who has employment at Cerado, W. Va., is expected to visit home folks soon.

Ray Shepley, of this place, and Elva Davis, of Williamson, W. Va., left Monday for Akron, Ohio, where they have employment.

Mrs. Sue F. Helomy was calling on Fred Hutchison and family Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Lizzie Hutchison is contemplating a visit on Big Hurricane soon.

Elva Davis was calling on his best girl here recently.

Miss Alma Lakin was the pleasant guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Sue Helomy recently.

Miss Inez Leigh Hutchison who has been on the sick list, we are glad to say is able to be out again.

Clyde Prazier was seen passing thru our community recently.

Our school will soon close. J. C. Strother is teacher. DAKLING.

DYE THAT SKIRT, COAT OR BLOUSE

"Diamond Dyes" Make Old, Shabby, Faded Apparel Just Like New

Don't worry about perfect results. Use "Diamond Dyes," guaranteed to give a new, rich, fadeless color to any fabric, whether it be wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods, - dresses, blouses, stockings, skirts, children's coats, feathers, draperies, coverings.

The Direction Book with each package tells so plainly how to diamond dye over any color that you can not make a mistake.

To match any material, have druggist show you "Diamond Dye" Color Card.

RICHARDSON

Our school closed Monday with Miss Marie Holt as teacher. We were very sorry indeed to see it close and to lose Miss Holt from our neighborhood.

Several boys and girls from Richardson and Graves should spent a pleasant afternoon Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Warnick.

Mrs. Laud Holt, Mrs. Sammie Clarke and Mr. Otis Ferrell, of Holt, came up to spend the last day of school with Miss Marie Holt.

Mrs. Billie Vaughan and daughter Imogene are visiting relatives at Beaver Creek.

Miss Tonia B. Fitch is visiting relatives at Muddy Branch.

Joe Riley, of Williamson, is visiting his parents here.

Mrs. S. R. Vaughan spent the day Saturday with Mrs. W. W. Wray.

Mrs. Clint Wallace, Misses Lucille Wallace, Shirley Wray and Edna Vaughan spent a pleasant afternoon Sunday with Mrs. G. C. Shepherd.

Miss Mattie Warnick is very ill at this writing.

Mack Crutcher, of Louisa, is visiting Charles Cassell.

Miss Edna Vaughan spent Sunday night with Miss Shirley Wray.

Miss Lora Sparks spent the week-end with home-folks at Kise.

ULYSSES

We are sorry to say Mrs. Martha Webb, who has been sick for some time, is not any better. It is feared she can not recover.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Compton's baby has pneumonia, but it is improving.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Castle a fine boy.

Orla Borders left here Friday morning for Fowellton, W. Va., where he will work for a while.

Ed Webb, who has been away for a year, is visiting his brother, Bud Webb at this place.

Miss Corda Castle, who has been gone for some time, has come home.

Arle Borders, who has been to Burdette at work, has come home on a visit but will start back to his work Monday.

Hay Borders and Miss Elta Edwards were married last Friday. We wish them much joy.

We are sorry to say that our school was out last Friday. It was largely attended.

Mrs. Ada Borders is expecting to leave here the last of the week for Catlettsburg.

Miss Estie Borders, of this place, is visiting her sister, Nelda Jones, at Lucasville, Ohio.

Sunday School is progressing nicely at this place.

Mrs. Bessie Austin, who has been sick for a while, is rapidly improving.

Mrs. Lizzie Kazez and daughter, Ogle and Orie, have gone to Ashland for a few days visit.

DODSON WOULD STOP SALE OF CALOMEL

Says Calomel is Mercury and Acts Like Dynamite on Your Liver.

Dodson is making a hard fight against calomel in the South. Every druggist he notices a great falling off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason. Dodson's Liver Tone is taking its place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tone is perfectly safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. "Dodson's Liver Tone is personally guaranteed by every druggist. A large bottle costs but a few cents, and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back."

Dodson's Liver Tone is a pleasant-tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine; no hiccups, sick headache, acid stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't gripe or cause inconvenience all the next day like violent calomel. Take a dose of calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak, sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work! Take Dodson's Liver Tone instead and feel fine, full of vigor and ambition.

CHARLEY

Rev. Isaac Griffith filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday. There was a large crowd considering the weather. Rev. John Vanhouse was with us and gave a good talk on Saturday evening, also on Sunday. Both are deep on the Bible.

Our school closed last Thursday with a deep regret to see our teacher leave. We hope we will be so fortunate as to get him back next year. David is a good instructor.

Marvin Swan and family visited U. S. Swan Sunday.

Miss Verlie Hays was calling on Mrs. Tella Searberry Sunday.

Miss Martha Dixon visited her sister, Rosa Sunday.

Winfield Castle was on Searberry branch Sunday.

Walter Preston was a caller here last Saturday and traded horses with E. K. Moore.

John Kise was calling on E. L. Moore Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hinkle were calling on Hill Hayes and wife Sunday.

Miss Sidney Swan visited her brother, U. S. Swan, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Hays were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. South Dixon Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Miller and Mrs. Dollie Miller were shopping here this week.

Mrs. U. S. Swan is able to be out after a lingering spell with the flu.

A. H. Miller was here Saturday on business.

Mrs. South Dixon, who has been sick for the past week, is convalescing.

Mrs. Grace Castle was calling on Mrs. E. L. Moore one day this week.

Miss Mollie Martin has returned to her old place at E. L. Moore's.

Mr. and Mrs. James Martin and two little daughters, Martha and Dorothy, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Thompson at Nora.

C. C. Howling was here Monday.

H. K. Moore, of Louisa, was here Saturday on business.

Chitt Griffith made his regular trip to Louisa this week.

Mrs. Nel Hinkle was calling on Mrs. South Dixon one day last week.

RESOLUTIONS

Buchanan, Ky., Dec. 31, 1919.

Whereas, It has pleased the Almighty God to call from our midst to the Celestial Lodge above our beloved brother, James Spruce, who departed this life November 16, 1919, therefore Be it resolved, that in the death of Bro. Spruce, Big Sandy Lodge No. 318 has lost a true and loyal member, his wife a loving husband, his family an affectionate father, and the community one of its best citizens.

Resolved, that we point the bereaved family to the Master above, who is able and willing to help us in all our troubles if we will only put our trust in Him.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to his family, a copy spread on the minutes of the lodge, and one sent to the Big Sandy News for publication.

B. H. COCKEY,
A. H. ROSS,
WM. PITCHLAND,
Committee.

LIFT CORNS OR CALLUSES OFF

Doesn't hurt! Lift any corn or callus off with fingers



Don't suffer! A tiny bottle of Preezone costs but a few cents at any drug store. Apply a few drops on the corns, calluses and "hard skin" on bottom of feet, then lift them off.

When Preezone removes corns from the toes or calluses from the bottom of feet, the skin beneath is left pink and healthy and never sore, tender or irritated.

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WEST PRESTONSBURG

The Holiness people are holding a revival meeting at this place. Many people have been converted.

Don Childers was calling on his best girl Sunday. Listen for the bells.

Don Childers made a business trip to Ashland a few days ago.

Mrs. Forest Childers has just returned from visiting relatives at Mer-

Dowell.

Miss Hettie Herald was calling on Miss Annie Salmons.

Miss Lucy Oppenheimer has accepted a position in her father's store at Prestonsburg.

TWO CHILDS.

We do commercial job printing of all kinds and are equipped to supply your needs very promptly. We solicit your patronage.

Doors For Sale

PINE DOORS, 5 CROSS PANELS 1 1/4 IN. THICK

QUANTITY	SIZE	PRICE EACH
2	2-6 x 6-10	5.38
12	2-8 x 7-10	5.77
7	2-6 x 7-0	5.54
8	2-6 x 7-6	5.75
7	2-8 x 6-8	5.38
5	2-10 x 7-0	6.03
1	2-8 x 6-10	5.50
4	2-10 x 6-10	5.95
3	2-8 x 7-0	5.77
SAME AS ABOVE EXCEPT 1 1/4 INCHES THICK		
1	2-8 x 7-2	4.18
20	2-8 x 7-6	4.50
3	2-10 x 6-10	4.40
8	2-6 x 6-8	3.80
14	2-8 x 7-4	4.50
9	2-6 x 6-10	4.00
8	2-8 x 6-10	4.18
7	2-6 x 7-6	4.10
15	2-2 x 6-8	3.30
2	2-6 x 7-0	4.10
5	2-2 x 7-0	4.00
6	2-2 x 6-10	3.65
2	2-6 x 7-10	4.10
3	2-2 x 7-2	4.40
2	2-10 x 6-8	4.50
1	2-8 x 7-0	4.69
1	2-10 x 7-2	4.18
6	2-10 x 6-0	4.37
3	2-10 x 6-10	4.08
23	2-4 x 7-0	4.59
3	2-2 x 6-10	3.78
2	2-2 x 6-10	3.78
19	2-10 x 7-0	4.64
1	3-0 x 7-0	6.21
1	2-6 x 7-0	4.05
1	2-6 x 6-8	3.76
6	2-10 x 6-8	5.59
3	2-6 x 6-10	3.80
-1	2-8 x 6-8	3.90
2	2-8 x 6-10	4.00
1	2-10 x 6-10 1 1/4 inches thick	3.50
OAK, 1 1/4 INCHES THICK		
1	2-6 x 6-10	7.28
1	2-6 x 7-0	7.82
2	2-8 x 6-8	7.59
2	2-2 x 6-8	7.01
10	2-2 x 7-0	7.50
8	2-0 x 7-0	6.87
5	2-0 x 7-6	7.00
10	2-2 x 6-8	6.87
8	2-4 x 6-8	7.00
5	2-10 x 6-10	8.36
5	2-8 x 7-6	8.13
1	2-6 x 6-8	7.28
1	2-4 x 7-0	7.51
1	2-8 x 7-0	8.13
1	2-4 x 6-8 2 panel, Birch	7.00

SNYDER HARDWARE COMPANY LOUISA, KENTUCKY

Saw Mill For Sale

Complete saw mill, 20 horse power, good condition, ready for use. Located at Jattie, Lawrence county, Ky. Price \$800. This is a very low price. The boiler and engine alone are worth more than this.

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JATTIE : KENTUCKY

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IS NOW ON

SATURDAY, JAN. 24th, is the last day of the sale. Remember that. Bear in mind no such reductions will you ever see anyways soon. Make arrangements now to attend this sale.

REMOVAL SALE

BEGAN THURSDAY, JANUARY 15TH

Lasting Until SATURDAY, JAN. 24th

Owing to the fact that I must move on Feb. 1st into the old Loar building, of which I'm getting only the front part and that is not large enough for my present stock and new spring stock I have bought, therefore I am forced to sell out at least one-half of my present stock by Jan. 24th regardless of price, and regardless of the high prices that are now existing and going up every day. To make the story short, I must sell half of the stock. While it will be my loss but your gain, I want you to help me do that--it will be to your own interest. As long as I am in Louisa I will fight the high prices. Cold, snow or rain, sale will begin on date mentioned. And you had better make all preparations to come if you value your hard-earned dollar. We are quoting only a small price list to give you a run of prices. Everything marked in plain figures, one price to all and no credit extended to anyone. Be on time at day of opening. Remember after Feb. 1st I will be in the Loar Building, next to Hardware store, opposite Court House. Don't be misled by anyone. If you can't see the signs inquire. Anyone will tell you where Jake's Store is. Let nothing keep you away from this sale. It means dollars to you. A word to the wise is sufficient.

SHOES FOR THE WHOLE

FAMILY

MENS SHOES

Mens Shoes that Include Gun Metal, Vici Kid, Black and Chocolate Colors, \$4.95, \$5.45 AND \$6.45
One lot Mens Plain Toe Shoes in Vici Kid, attilly solid leather at \$5.45

LADIES SHOES

Ladies Shoes in Round Toe Vici Kid, positively worth now \$8.50 wholesale, at \$4.95
One lot English Walking Shoes in black gun metal and Vici Kid, positively worth \$8.50 to \$9.00, at only \$4.95 AND \$5.45
Ladies Gray Shoes with Military heels \$10.00 would be cheap now. We ask only \$6.45

BOYS & MISSES SHOES

All kinds of Boys, and Misses Shoes at very reasonable prices.

EXTRA SPECIAL

ONE LOT OF MENS WORK SHOES..... \$2.98

MENS OVERALLS

Mens Good Overalls, worth now \$3.00 wholesale at only \$2.50

MENS HATS

Mens Hats \$3.48 DOWN TO \$1.49 at only positively worth double.

MENS SUITS

Mens Suits \$12.95, \$14.95, \$17.50 UP TO \$32.50 positively worth \$6.00 to \$10.00 on a suit more.

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All kinds of Boys Suits at very low prices.

\$112.50 in CASH

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On the morning of the first day of sale at 8 o'clock sharp, the first 25 customers that will enter and trade \$10.00 or more will receive \$1.00 in cash as a premium.

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Mens Pants at \$2.98, \$3.35, \$4.95, \$5.95 positively cost more to make

CORDUROY PANTS

Mens Good Corduroy Pants worth \$5.00 wholesale, at \$3.48

LADIES SKIRTS

Ladies Skirts in Silk Poplins, at \$3.24

LADIES COATS

Ladies Coats, positively worth \$22.50, at \$12.50
One lot of Ladies Coats in Silvertones and different colors, worth now \$35.00, at only \$18.90
One small lot of Ladies Coats, positively a bargain at \$12.50 at only \$5.95

LADIES SUITS

Ladies Suits, good for Spring wear, in all wool Poplins at only \$22.50
The lining and buttons are worth that

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One lot of Mens Hose in Black and Colors, per pair..... 15c
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LADIES HOSE

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Ladies Lisle Silk Hose worth \$1.00 pair, only..... 69c
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One Lot of
MENS GUN METAL SHOES
Positively worth \$4.50
Only \$2.25

EXTRA SPECIAL NO. 2

One Lot of
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Only one pair to a customer
\$2.10 pair

EXTRA SPECIAL NO. 3

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MENS GOOD COTTON PANTS
Only one pair to a customer
Only \$1.49

EXTRA SPECIAL NO. 4

One Lot of
MENS BLUE SHIRTS
WITH COLLARS
Not over two to a customer
Only 85c

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WEST VIRGINIA ITEMS OF NEWS

Coal News.

Development of coal lands in West Virginia, Kentucky, will be undertaken in the near future by the Earlston Coal Company. No time will be lost in driving an entry and in going ahead with the construction of an up-to-date plant, including triple. The company will find it necessary to build a conveyor across Tug River in order to reach the West Virginia side, from which side of the river coal will be shipped by rail.

Holdings of Rogers Brothers, of Pikeville, Ky., and others on Turkey Creek just across Tug river from West Williamson will be developed at an early date, this being indicated by the presence of surveying parties in that section. Before much development work can be undertaken, however, it will be necessary to ledge Tug River at the mouth of Turkey Creek. This is to be followed, it is understood, by the construction of several miles of railroad up Turkey Creek so as to make coal deposits on that stream accessible.

A deal equaling in magnitude the purchase of the Red Jacket Consolidated Coal Company by M. A. Hanna & Company is that which it now appears certain is being consummated for the purchase of the extensive holdings, mines, plants, etc., of the Pond Creek Coal Company by the Solvay Company, for the sum approximately of \$5,000,000, it is understood. Color is lent to the belief that such a deal is pending because of the fact that a complete inventory is being made of the Pond Creek plants. The annual production of the Pond Creek Coal Co. is approximately 1,000,000 tons, produced at eleven different mines. The company has been operating mines for the last nine years or since 1911 and has been successful in its operations.—Huntington Herald Dispatch.

Will Be Freed.

Because the man from whom it is claimed she stole \$380 is dead, Millie Blankenship, 23, held on a grand larceny charge in the Cabell county jail will be freed. The man who alleged the Blankenship girl had robbed him of his roll was John K. Breathe, 28, a native of Greece, and formerly a merchant of Williamson, W. Va. He was asphyxiated Dec. 15, in a New York hotel, by artificial gas.

Killed By Horse.

Charleston, W. Va.—J. W. Alderson, 67, of Hinton, former member of the West Virginia legislature representing Summers county, was killed by being thrown from a horse. He had been on a mountain near Belleport reservoir, and returning home was thrown from his horse and his skull fractured. He died shortly afterwards. He was a member of the legislature from 1914 to 1916.

Hospital for Kenova.

The Glenwood Inn, at Kenova, has been sold for use as a sanitarium to the newly organized Williams Sanitarium Company, with authorized capital of \$200,000, of which Prof. H. A. Williams, of Huntington, is the principal stockholder. Remodeling of the building to convert it into a hospital will begin at once.

\$105,922 TO KENTUCKIANS.

Two hundred and forty-three checks, amounting to \$105,922, have been mailed to Kentuckians by the Bureau of War Risk Insurance for the week ending December 31.



The Important Thing

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CATLETTSBURG

Mr. Cole Improved.

A few days ago Will Cole of East Fork, a prominent farmer, was returning home from this city when his horse fell, throwing him and falling on him breaking his leg in two places. He was brought back here to the office of Dr. Chandler, who not the least, Mr. Cole is a prominent and wealthy citizen and has many friends who will be delighted to learn of his rapid improvement.

Will Return to Camp Pike.

Major and Mrs. R. O. Penze and pretty little daughter, Florence Brown, will leave here Thursday returning to Camp Pike, Ark., where Major Penze is stationed in discharge of duties in the United States army.

S. J. Rose, special agent of the C. & O., states that he has a valise in his possession supposed to be the property of Newton Collinsworth. It was left on Big Sandy train No. 37, between Louisville and this city on January 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pison, who have been shopping in Cincinnati, and visiting their son, W. J. Pison, who is a student in the law department of the State University at Lexington, passed through Sunday returning to their home at Pikeville.

Hon. Charles Ketchum who is suffering from a fractured hip, is getting along very nicely at this time at his home on Oakland avenue.

Charles Bowles who has been looking after business here, has returned to his home at Pikeville.

W. V. Bartram, of Gillette, Wyoming, was visiting his brother, Dr. J. B. Bartram, of Ashland, for a few days. He left for Staunton, Va.

E. L. Walter, cashier of the First National Bank, of Jenkins, has been in Ashland the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. McGuire, while visiting Mrs. Walter and their new daughter, who are at the Kings Daughters' hospital. The daughter was born Jan. 10.

WEBBVILLE

The wedding bells have been ringing in our town very much since Christmas. The following are the couples married: Mr. Fred Duncan and Miss Belva Green; Mr. Cecil Banks and Dora Harless; Mr. Leonard Fraley and Clara Sparks. And Mr. James Smith surprised his many friends by bringing home a bride Tuesday night—Miss Ruth Shepherd, of Hillsboro, W. Va. Mrs. Smith was born and raised here and her father moved to Hubbardtown almost a year ago, and we now welcome her back to her home town.

Mrs. D. J. Thompson has returned from Wilmore, Ky., where she took her daughter Irene to attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Long and family left Monday for Oxford, Ohio, where he has bought a farm.

Dr. L. G. Nickells and family will soon move to Grayson, where he has bought property. We are sorry to lose them as they are good neighbors.

Mrs. James Smith and Ruby Smith were calling on Mrs. Leah Shepherd Saturday afternoon.

H. F. Black and family are spending a few days with his mother at Grayson. Mrs. Louisa Shortridge, who has been very ill for some time, is now improving.

Artie Hicks has returned from Huntington, W. Va., and says "there's no place like Webbville."

Miss Judea Hicks was calling on Mrs. Matt Kase Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith and Miss Ruby Smith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shepherd.

DEWS OF EVE

No More Gentle Than
"Cascarets" for the
Liver, Bowels

It is just as needless as it is dangerous to take violent or nasty cathartics. Nature provides no shock-absorbers for your liver and bowels against calomel, harsh pills, sickening oil and salts. Cascarets give quick relief without injury from constipation, flatulence, indigestion, gases and Sick Headache. Cascarets work while you sleep, removing the toxins, poisons and sour, biliouslike waste without griping or inconvenience. Cascarets regulate by strengthening the bowel muscles. They cost so little too.

LACK OF HORSES IS MOST SERIOUS

PRODUCTION OF THOROUGH-
BREDS MUST BE EN-
COURAGED.

PRESENT SUPPLY IS SHORT

Army Would Need One Animal for
Every Two Men Should We Be
Called Upon to Engage in
Military Operation for
Any Reason.

Some idea of the magnitude of the task of the Remount Board of the United States army in organizing and maintaining a horse breeding and supply scheme for the future forces of national defense may be had by a study of the reports of the remount officers of the A. E. F., for the period of 1917-1918. It was found in France that the old theory that the proportion of horse strength to man strength in armies should be two to five was erroneous. One horse for every two men was needed. To their astonishment the officers of the remount service, many of whom had never seen the inside of a military text book until a few weeks before they received their commissions, discovered that six hundred horses were required to equip a single infantry regiment of war strength, that is a regiment of 3600 to 5800 men.

It was next to impossible to obtain horses in sufficient numbers to properly equip even the artillery, transport and ambulance services of the A. E. F., because for a period of two years before the participation of the United States in the conflict the entire allied had been draining the country of horses of all sorts and kinds. The A. E. F. had no cavalry.

Modern Armies Are Large.

Nowadays armies are reckoned by hundreds of thousands, if not by millions. The strength of a single division of the A. E. F., was greater in men and horses than the biggest army commanded by Stonewall Jackson in his entire career. The combined armies of Lee and Meade that took part in the struggle of Gettysburg could have done no more in that battle than that terminated last November than had two score of miles of the western front. If the United States were called to arms, whether to defend some interest, particularly our own or to fulfill a League of Nations obligation, the mobilization of from 500,000 to 1,000,000 soldiers might be necessary.

The old theory that the correct proportion of horse strength to man strength in armies was still accepted by military opinion, 200,000 horses would be required for the outfitting of half a million soldiers, 100,000 for the outfitting of a force of 1,000,000 and, if an army of half a million or a million soldiers had to be kept in the field in a state of military efficiency, a reserve of 100,000 to 500,000 would be necessary. If the future military forces of the United States are to be outfitted with horses on a one to two basis with adequate reserves, and such a scheme of outfitting would be necessary if the armies of the United States were to attempt intervention in Mexico to protect American or European interests in the maintenance of the Monroe Doctrine, it will be necessary to provide an immediate mobilization force of from 250,000 to 500,000 with reserves equally strong.

Today the United States could not properly outfit with horses an army of 100,000 soldiers. There are horses in the country, many of them. But they are mostly draft horses—Belgians, Percherons, Clydesdales, Bays, Shires, etc.—whose military usefulness is limited to the dragging of heavy artillery. Horses of these types are not in the least serviceable to a mobile army, or an army of maneuver, as the new phrase describes an army that must perform marches of fifteen to twenty miles a day or retreat quickly if strategy suggests retreat. They are too sluggish too lacking in spirit. The horses that are wanted are the light types and of these there are so few the aggregate supply properly be said to be a negligible quantity in any practical scheme of national defense. The gun line motor long since made the production of this type of horse unprofitable. Farmers and stockmen have ceased to raise light horse in considerable numbers. The creation of a new supply must be stimulated by the United States government, but nothing the government could do would suffice if there was any interference with the production of thoroughbred stallions. Stallions of the thoroughbred type are indispensable because the offspring of such stallions, whether from mares of thoroughbred blood or from mares of no particular breeding, proved best in a half century of experimentation conducted in Europe by the great military powers before the outbreak of the war of nations and the half and three-quarter bred outstayed and outgained the representatives of the colder breeds under the hard conditions of actual warfare between 1914 and 1918.

Light Horse Not Raised.

Since it is no longer profitable for farmers and stockmen to raise light harness horses for the market officers of the military service who have

studied the problem of military horse supply most deeply have declared in recommendations to the general staff at Washington and to congress that the government must obtain and place at the disposal of farmers in sections of the country in which horse may be raised most economically between 4000 and 8000 thoroughbred stallions. A beginning has been made in this tremendous work, but no more than a beginning. The remount service has placed in Virginia, New York, Kentucky, Oklahoma, Texas and in the far west some seventy-five or eighty thoroughbred stallions, and these stallions have, almost without exception, been the cheerful gifts of thoroughbred producers and persons interested in racing.

It is because of the government's insurmountable need of thoroughbred blood that the most distinguished officers of the regular military service have been so outspoken in their opposition to half baked legislation that might interfere with thoroughbred production. Major-General Leonard Wool was the first officer of high rank to declare himself publicly on this subject. In 1911 when thoroughbred stallions and mares by the hundreds were being shipped out of the country because the shutting down of racing in New York state in consequence of the Hughes anti-racing legislation of 1908 and 1910 closed the metropolitan market to thoroughbred producers, General Wool announced in the daily press that the loss of thoroughbred blood had assumed the proportions of a national calamity, and that if something were not done by the government to check the exportation of such stock and to revive production it would be impossible to properly outfit with horses an army of the size the United States would have to put in the field if we came in conflict with a first class power. The prophecy of General Wool was to be abundantly fulfilled in 1917 and 1918 as had already been pointed out.

Oppose Anti-Racing Laws.

When the hearings on the anti-racing bills in Maryland's legislature were held a year ago last winter were on General Andrew Hertz, commander of the Artillery Brigade at the Division of draft troops that was training at Camp Meade, and Colonel Raymond Briggs, of the 31st Field artillery, who afterwards became brigadier-general because of distinguished service in the field appeared before the judicial proceedings committee of the senate and protested against legislative interference with thoroughbred production.

Major-General Kuhn and Brigadier-General Nicholson, respectively, commander and second in command of the Camp Meade Division, were unable on account of business to appear before the house judiciary committee at the last hearing, but they authorized representative speakers against the pending legislation in their names.—Adv.

PRESTONSBURG

Killing at Wayland.

Sunday night at Wayland, John Zormarsky and Basil Collins engaged in an affray in which the former was killed. It seems that several men were together in a room and were drinking moonshine liquor. It is reported, when Collins handed Zormarsky his gun, some other man in the room demanded the gun and a dispute arose during which Zormarsky covered Collins with his own gun. Collins got out of the room and started down the railroad with Zormarsky after him. Collins got a knife from a companion, turned and slashed the foreigner's throat, severing the jugular vein. He started for the hospital, but fell dead as he entered. Collins was arrested, waived examination and gave bond in the sum of \$2,500.

County Court Clerk Resigns.

County Court Clerk T. P. Johns, hounded in his resignation this week to County Judge Ed Hill, who has accepted it. Mr. Johns has been in very poor health during his administration, and many wondered if the duties of the office would not be too strenuous for him. He may go to Florida for recuperation. His successor has not yet been appointed.

Hall-Jurich.

January 5, Miss Stella Hall of Wheelwright, the pretty 19-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hall, was united in marriage to Mr. Joseph N. Jurich, of Detroit, Mich. The groom has been associated with some coal companies on Beaver for several years during which time he met and wooed and won the attractive young lady who Monday evening became his bride. Mr. and Mrs. Jurich went back to Allen, but left next morning for Detroit.

Sustains Broken Leg.

Lindsey May, of Clair, had his leg broken above the knee last Tuesday. He was caught between two mine cars. He is one of our good and industrious citizens and has a wife and five or six children.

Local and Personal.

Jesse Clark, of Dana, who has been in the Marine Corps for more than four years, arrived home in time for the holidays. He has been honorably discharged from the service and has accepted a position with an automobile firm in Amesbury, Mass.

Dr. and Mrs. L. N. Hatcher returned this week after spending the holidays with relatives at Cincinnati and Loveland, Ohio, and Lexington, Ky.

Mrs. Edith Goble and two sons are guests of friends and relatives at Garrett and Lackey this week.

T. W. Smith, of Garrett, spent Sunday with homefolks.

Mrs. E. E. Archer, who has been guest of relatives in the city, left Monday for her home at Paintsville.

Shitt Adams, mine boss at Riceville, was in the city this week.

Miss Lottie Reynolds, of Water Gap,

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SEALED TIGHT—KEPT RIGHT

was here Monday on her way to Wayland, second street.

Col. and Mrs. J. C. Hopkins, who have been guests of Mrs. Hopkins parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Perry, of Winchester, arrived home Wednesday.

Mrs. N. M. White, Jr., returned this week from Mt. Sterling, where she was called recently on account of the illness of her mother.

D. H. Patrick of Salisburyville, was the guest this week of his daughter, Attorney and Mrs. E. W. Pendleton of Second street.

Misses Nancy and Margaret Powers were dinner guests of Miss Anna H. and Joe Herford recently.

The following from the J. C. Mayo College were recently week end guests of Misses Annie Elizabeth and Josephine Herford: Miss Hazel Parks of Huntington, W. Va., Miss Beatrice Lyons of Van Lear, Miss Gladys Leslie of Ukeville.—Post.

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